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TITLE: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MAXIMIZING THE TRAFFIC DELIVERY

CAPACITY OF PACKET TRANSPORT NETWORKS VIA REAL-TIME TRAFFIC
PATTERN BASED OPTIMIZATION OF TRANSPORT CAPACITY ALLOCATION

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## AMENDMENT E WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed April 25, 2007, please amend the abovereferenced application as indicated in the following pages.